Silchar	308
Mizoram	123
Tripura North	731
Tripura South	1753

(b) The number of the immigrants pushed back into Bangladesh during 1991 is 53,733 and those handed over to the local authorities for legal action is 8,155.

Indian Prisoners in Pakistan

2664. SHRI SRIBALLAV PANIGRAHI:
KUMARI UMA BHARTI:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Indians imprisoned in Pakistan including Military personnel; and

(b) the steps being taken by the Government to get them released?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI MADHAVISINH SOLANKI): (a) According to information available, 1031 Indians are believed to be in Pakistani jails.

(b) Government have on several occasions taken up with the Government of Pakistan the question of the release and early rapatriation of all Indian prisoners. Efforts to secure the release of Indian prisoners continue.

Amendment to Punjab Municipal Act, 1911

2665. SHRI SRIBALLALV PANIGRAHI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the New Delhi Municipal Committee has submitted and proposal for amending the Punjab Municipal Act, 1911;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the action taken by the Government thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS: (SHRI M.M. JACOB): (a) to (c). The New Delhi Municipal Committee has submitted a proposal in this regard to Delhi Administration. No such proposal has been received by the Government of India.

[*Translation*]

Migration of Scheduled Castes from Chitradipur, Mehsana of Gujarat

2666. SHRI BARE LAL JATAV: Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have directed the Government of Gujarat to submit the report regarding migration of Scheduled Castes from village Chitradipur, Mehsana of Gujarat;

(b) if so whether the Government of Gujarat have since submitted the report;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF WELFARE (SHRI SITARAM KESRI): (a) and (b). Yes, Sir.

(b) The State Government of Gujarat have taken steps to settle the migrated Scheduled Castes at Lakhavead near Mehsana and also provided cash relief, temporaty shelters and other facilities.

(d) The question does not arise.

Foreigners Setting Illegally in India

2667. SHRI SHIV SHARAN VERMA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to refer to the reply given on December 2, 1991 to the Starred Question No. 146 regarding foreigners setting illegally in India and State;